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ELET HALL TEAM DEFEATS INTRA- MURAL CHAMPS

Junior Class Medal Awarded to
"Ed" Tapp.

GAMES WERE CLOSE

Mark A. Schmidt Directed the
League.

By Ed Tapp.

In one of the closest contests in the entire schedule of the recent basketball tournaments, the Charoese team, champions of the ELET Hall league, defeated the Braves, champions of the Intramural league by the score of 23 to 22. The game was closely contested throughout, the score at the half being 13 to 9 in favor of the Hall boys.

Larry Ryan, of the Braves, was undoubtedly the outstanding player of the game, scoring a total of twelve points, and dribbling and guarding with unusual skill. The Charoese team lost one of their main stars in the first half when Tom Daugherty, a tower of strength on both offense and defense, was ejected from the game via the foul route. Tom Kelly, captain of the victorious team, filled his place excellently, although we must give credit for the Charoese victory to their guards, "Moosey" Zeller, The Hogan, and "Spot" Spodis.

Excellent Defense.

The Braves reached the championship round by defeating the Belmonts, the surprise team of the tournament, 18 to 9. In this contest McFate, McCarthy and Ryan all played well, with the work of Ted Schmidt standing out for the Belmonts. The principal feature of the playing of the Braves throughout the entire tournament was their excellent defensive work, as no team scored more than eleven points in the four rounds of play.

Top Receives Medal.

The Junior Class medal for sportsmanship and individual good play was awarded to Ed Tapp, captain of the Charoese, who practically carried his team to the semi-final round, and whose excellent sportsmanship was commended by the officials as well as by the directors of the tournament. We offer our congratulations, Ed.

And first of all we want to express our sincere admiration of the excellent manner in which Mark Schmidt handled the entire tournament. By his persistent efforts, great interest was aroused in the intramurals and we would give the credit for the success of the intramurals to the director—Mark Schmidt.

MISS L'HOMMEDIEU WILL RESIGN

Librarian Accepts Position in
Covington Library.

Miss Anna L'Homedieu, librarian in the liberal arts department of St. Xavier college since September 1926, has announced that her resignation effective April 1, has been accepted by college authorities.

While in Miss L'Homedieu's care, the library has been made a modern and systematized part of the college and one of which St. Xavier may well be proud. In a little over a year she has supervised and helped in numbering and cataloging practically all of the 30,000 volumes of which the library consists. In her short regime approximately 3,000 volumes of various kinds have been added and the books of reference and encyclopedias have been augmented and completed.

Credit.

Miss L'Homedieu would modestly give most of the credit for her success to her student helpers but we who have known her best, be the best judges of her worth and we know that there are some of us who will always remember St. Xavier's first "Lady" Librarian.

Miss L'Homedieu intends to take up work organizing libraries in the various small towns of Kenton County, Kentucky, in the interests of the public library of Covington when she leaves St. Xavier.

INTEREST HIGH

Advance reports indicate that the interest manifested in the annual Intercollegiate English Contest far surpasses that of other years. Rev. Daniel M. O'Connell, S. J., dean, has observed. Dean O'Connell commented that while the number of entries was far above the average late entries for the contest may be filed at the registrar's office.

REV E. C. MORGAN, S. J., RECEIVES PH. D.

Degree Awarded at Ohio State
University.

The highest honor that it is possible for Ohio State University to confer was awarded to Rev. Edward C. Morgan, S. J., Professor of Chemistry, St. Xavier College, at Columbus, Ohio, Saturday.

Father Morgan was one of the two men to receive the Doctor of Philosophy degree at the exercises.

At Ohio State University where Father Morgan studied last year, he majored in physical chemistry and minored in organic chemistry. The graduation thesis which he submitted pertained to sol stability under centrifugation. In his study of certain colloidal systems, Father Morgan has discovered to prove that in all suspended acids, there is a film of absorbed liquid around the suspended particles.

Father Morgan heads the Department of Chemistry at St. Xavier College.

DANTE CLUB PLANS TO TRAVEL

Lecture on "The Crusades" Being
Arranged.

Comprehensive plans for the Dante Club during the early Spring include the giving of several lectures at St. Joseph-on-the-Ohio, and The Summit.

It was also indicated that the Club was considering a trip to Louisville, Kentucky, some time during May.

New Lectures.

This season will see the Club's acquisition of another lecture, "The Crusades". This illustrated presentation is divided into three parts, which describe the various undertakings, contingent with the successful carrying out by the Christians of their pilgrimages to the Holy Land.

Monse J. Conroy is president of the Club, while Mr. Joseph E. Meyers is the faculty director.

LAW APTITUDE TESTS

A large number of St. Xavier College seniors and graduates have applied for the law aptitude test which will be given on Saturday, March 24, at 2 o'clock, in Alumni Hall, College of Law, University of Cincinnati.

The applicants will visit the Practice Court on Saturday morning, have luncheon in the vicinity of the Law School, and take the test in the afternoon.

The two scholarships to be awarded were created and endowed by Mrs. Mary H. Sulphur as a memorial to the late Col. Dudley V. Sulphur, distinguished alumnus of the Law School who died in 1925.

FOR CONVENTION PURPOSES

St. Xavier College's new \$25,000 field house may be used for convention, auditorium and assembly purposes. John W. Donovan, graduate manager at Xavier and business manager of the building has announced.

Perfect acoustics manifested in the recent dedicatory exercises indicate that the building will lend itself admirably to auditorium purposes, Donovan said.

The field house has accommodations for between 11,000 and 13,000 people for auditorium purposes. Lack of an auditorium accommodating a crowd similar to the field house capacity has urged St. Xavier authorities to arrange plans for utilization of the building for mammoth assembly purposes.

REHEARSALS FOR 'BABES IN TOYLAND' ARE BEING HELD

Miss Florence Moran is Dramatic Director.

GOOD SAMARITAN BENEFIT

Cast Includes Many Prominent
Xavier Actors.

The cast for "Babes in Toyland," the play to be presented under St. Xavier College auspices for the benefit of Good Samaritan Hospital, April 17 and 18 in Tuft Auditorium of the Masonic Temple, as announced by Miss Florence Moran, dramatic director for the production, includes many outstanding non-professional actors and actresses who have been members of companies engaged in past St. Xavier productions.

Miss Moran has indicated that rehearsals are being held several times each week, and that nothing will be spared to make this play come up to or even surpass former St. Xavier dramatic successes.

Arrangements for a matinee performance for school children are being considered by the dramatic heads of the production.

Cast is Large.

The cast is exceptionally large and with the ensemble will bring the number of participants close to two hundred.

The cast, under direction, Edward J. McGroarty, Alma, Ed McGroarty, Edward J. McGroarty, Jane, Miss Martha Malt; Elsie Piper, Mrs. Marie Hagan; Roger, Jack Lynch; George, Charles Rosenhardt; The Widow Piper, Miss Bertha Goodman; Tom, Tom, Robert Savage; George, George, William Kennedy; Peter, William Baker; Joseph, McKenna; Tommy, Tucker, William Karmay; Jack, Francis Shearson; Boy, Blue, Patrick Swift; Bobby, Shellen; Gilbert, Collins; Constance, Mary, Miss Mary Delaney; Ben, Miss Mildred Ratz; Jill, Miss Mary Liddy; Nellie, Walter, Miss Frances Gallagher; Miss Moffet, Miss Anna O'Connell; Curly, Louie, Miss Lillian Raloff; Red, Edling Hood; Miss Margie Lutz; Dolly, Miss Margaret McEwan; Molly, Miss Doris Rardin; The Brown Bear, Harold Steinberg; The Giant Spider, Harry Koenig; The Toymaker, Ray Delery; Gracie, William Oliver; Max, Clarence Specht; Inspector Minnabuck, Milton Tobler; The Doll, Miss Marie Schwanman; The Good Fairy, Miss Alvera Gwiner; The Four Dandies, Matt Allgeier, Robert Seime, Robert Mohr and James Nolan; the Merry Widows, Miss Helen Faith, Callista Kuhlman, Norma Meyer and Virginia Pressler.

PRES. BROCKMAN TRAVELS

Rev. Hubert F. Brockman, S. J., president of St. Xavier College, attended the installation of Dr. Henry John Doorman as president of the University of Toledo, Monday. Father Brockman also visited Chicago, St. Louis and Prairie du Chien, Wis., on business. Father Brockman lectured before students of Champaign preparatory school at Prairie du Chien.

CALENDAR

No event conflicting with any of the following may be scheduled without official sanction. For open dates apply to the registrar, William Barnes.

Today—Chapel, 8:30 A. M.
Thursday—Junior Mass, 8:30 A. M.
Friday—Senior Mass, 8:30 A. M.
Senior sodality, 11:30 A. M.
Sunday—Annual Lecture, 3:30 P. M. at Sinton Hotel.
Mr. J. H. Thuman, "Gang"
Monday—Prussian Mass and Sodality, 8:30 A. M.
Philopollan Society, 1:30 P. M.
Tuesday—Sophomore Mass, 8:30 A. M.
Wednesday—Chapel, 8:30 A. M.
March 26—Debate, University of Cincinnati there.
April 10—Debate, Loyola here.
April 20—Verkamp Debate in Lodge Reading Room.

TO DEBATE U. C.

The St. Xavier College Debating Team will uphold the negative of the question "Resolved That the Volstead Law Should Be Repealed" against the representatives of the University of Cincinnati, at McMillen Hall, on the University campus, Wednesday evening, March 28.

Edward J. McGroarty, James Quill and Edmund Doyle will represent St. Xavier, while Fred Dixon, Charles Hoon and Lawrence Leri will speak for the University.

COLLEGE PAPERS TO TRY FOR CUP

Xavierian News Again Enters
Newspaper Contest.

Ohio college newspapers will again contest for the best college paper this year. The competition this season will be sponsored by the Cleveland Plain Dealer and under the direction of W. C. Therpe, Sunday and Feature editor of the paper. A cup will be presented to the winning paper and each publication will receive criticism on the six consecutive issues which it presents to be judged.

Xavierian News Enters

The award will be made at the spring meeting of the Ohio Newspaper Association, which will be held at Springfield on May 11 and 12.

Last year the contest was sponsored by the Scripps-Howard papers of Ohio and was won by the Akron University paper, the Buckeye. The Xavierian News placed well up in the list and hopes to be at the top when the contest closes.

INTRAMURAL BASEBALL PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED

King and Chnes Are Student
Managers.

Mark A. Schmidt, director of intramural athletics at St. Xavier College, has announced the appointment of Frank A. King and William M. Chnes, liberal arts juniors, as student managers for the formation of an intramural indoor baseball league.

After the tremendous success of the basketball leagues it is hoped that a representative portion of the student body will turn out for intramural baseball. The college faculty and certain members of the student body have been lending their every effort to the establishment of these athletics on a firm foundation at St. Xavier. The cooperation of the entire student body is necessary for the success of this venture.

Games in Stadium

The games will be played in the stadium at the south end of the football field.

As in the basketball leagues there will probably be some award made to the members of the winning team. Great care will be taken to operate the leagues in an efficient, businesslike fashion. The student managers have indicated. The director will appoint umpires from among the members of the student body and those who do not wish to participate in the actual playing may serve as official arbiters.

ENTERTAINERS RECEIVE PRAISE

Orchestra Is Available for So-
cial Functions.

Organizations or clubs desiring music for any occasion would be wise to consider the newly organized student orchestra, under the leadership of Frank B. Dwyer, liberal arts junior. This orchestra which made its debut in a college audience at the pre-Lenten St. Xavier Club dance, has merited high praise from musical critics in Cincinnati.

Personnel

The personnel of the all St. Xavier entertainers includes: Robert Schmidt, Myrl Meyers, George Rooney, William D. Myall, Edward Welch, John Road, John O'Connor, William Robertson and John Shivers.

Dwight handles all business arrangements for the orchestra.

DR. J. J. YOUNG CONTINUES ALUMNI LECTURE SERIES

Relates Experiences of the
World War.

MR. THUMAN NEXT SUNDAY.

Account of Personal Contacts
Holds Interest.

Dr. James J. Young, Professor of English, St. Xavier College, widely-known playwright and World War veteran, continued the series of lectures which the St. Xavier College Alumni Association has sponsored, at the Hotel Sinton, Sunday evening.

"Interesting Things I Have Met, Interesting Things I Have Seen, and Interesting Things I Have Heard" was the subject which Dr. Young discussed. He gave intimate accounts of his experiences during the recent war, in which he served as an officer with the British forces.

Thuman Next Sunday

J. Herman Thuman, prominent Cincinnati newspaperman, who was responsible for bringing "The Miracle" to Cincinnati several years ago, will discuss "Song" on the lecture program next Sunday.

Gregory H. Mooreman, president of the St. Xavier College Alumni Association, introduced the speaker.

Malta

Speaking in reference to Malta, Dr. Young said: "Malta lies about 50 miles south of Sicily and about 180 miles southwest of Cape Bon in Tunisia. It is the headquarters of the British Mediterranean fleet, and one of the principal coaling stations of the Mediterranean. Owing to its strategic position upon its important position the island is capable of supporting a population of all proportion to its size. It is oval in shape and is 17 miles long with a central breadth of 5 miles.

Population

"There is a railway of eight and one-half miles in length of which the Maltese are very proud. It connects the present capital Valletta with the old capital of Vittoriosa, known to the natives as Votalla. The civil population in 1926, including the British garrison and Royal navy was 22,000 persons. The density of the population works out at over 2,000 persons per square mile. Of this population about 95% are Catholics. There are two bishoprics, 1,200 clergy, twenty-seven religious houses and thirty-six convents and institutions of women, and about 100 churches. It has a university, two universities, and many public and private schools.

Language Spoken

"Italian, English and Maltese are the languages spoken by the educated classes and all three are taught in the schools. There is no direct taxation in Malta and strictly speaking no public debt. Public expenditure is met chief-

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MEDICAL PROFESSION RENDERS SERVICE

So Dr. F. K. Siegel Says at
Orientation.

"An opportunity to make an investment for eternity and the satisfaction of ministering to the human body" were cited as interesting points of the medical profession by Dr. F. K. Siegel, prominent Cincinnati physician, who lectured before St. Xavier College students Tuesday on "The Medical Profession."

"The student's ambition should be to render the greatest service to society, not to obtain the greatest financial rewards from the profession."

Cheese Right College

"To the student who contemplates a medical career it is well that he choose the right college to start with," Dr. Siegel continued.

"There is still plenty of room for students in Class A medical colleges in spite of the fact that announcements are widely published that the institutions are over-crowded."

Gregory B. Doorman, president of the St. Xavier College Alumni Association, will lecture at St. Xavier next Tuesday.

Joseph Nichol, a sophomore in the pre-medical department of St. Xavier College, who submitted to a serious operation at the Good Samaritan Hospital last week, was reported as doing nicely Tuesday evening.



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MOTTO — TO SERVE XAVIER

Friendship—

While the purpose of this publication has not been, is not, and will not be, to rave and rant at the student body, there is one matter which has been called to our attention and which we feel needs immediate consideration. This is the lack of universal friendship which should characterize St. Xavier men.

This is especially brought to our notice by the failure of some to give a cheery "Hello" or "Howdy" to any one outside of their particular circle of friends. Now, this is, we believe, wrong. Any St. Xavier man should always be recognized by another son of St. Xavier. Whether you are personally acquainted with him or not is of no concern, as long as he is a student at St. Xavier College.

Therefore, let the Musketeer spirit of "One for all, and all for one" pervade the entire student body and let every week be "Hello Week" at St. Xavier.

Criticizing—

Arthur Brisbane, dean of American journalists, in a lecture to students at Columbia University recently, indicated that an editorial could do four things: teach, attack, defend and praise. "To do the first," commented Mr. Brisbane, "is the hardest; to do the second, is the easiest."

Our daily lives are proof of this statement. All of us are knockers. How much more do we attack than instruct or praise! We seldom defend. We have a superfluous number of knockers upon the college campus. They criticize everything from the athletic teams to the debaters. Criticism of the right sort is commendable and necessary. Constructive criticism, criticism by persons who have knowledge of the things which they are criticizing is always beneficial.

Criticize all you want, but first be familiar with the things you are criticizing. Consider all the facts of the case, both pro and con. Criticize, — after investigating.

New Feature—

The NEWS takes great pleasure in announcing a new feature to appear at intervals. "Sport Slants", conducted by the sports editor, William M. Cline, will cover all phases of sports.

Mr. Cline, who has been connected in a very intimate way with practically every athletic event at St. Xavier college, will review sports, anticipate events, and, in a general way, give student opinion upon the subject.

We trust that our new feature will meet with the approval of the entire student body. The NEWS is, however, open to suggestions at all times, since the chief reason that it is published is to link all the departments of the college together, and to foster between them a spirit of co-operation.

"THE ATHENAEUM" REVIEW

By John McAnaw.

I waited a long time for "The Athenaeum" and expected great things of it. But I must confess that I was just a "wet bit" disappointed. It is not as well-rounded as previous issues. I miss the sprightly editorial, the usual light reading and creative work. This issue seems to have fallen into a groove of sameness. It lacks variety. About half the issue is devoted to an Oratorical Symposium and the new rather old "Hamlet." The very few remaining pages are devoted to a poem, a defense and a literary review. It seems to me that this issue is like a good old-fashioned meal, wholesome but just a trifle heavy.

I do not know whether it was from fear of hurting the feelings of the Oratorical finalists in putting in everyone's speech, or the editor's inability, like mine, to judge which one was the best. If reading the speeches alone I were called on to name the winner, I would close my eyes, turn the magazine several times about, open it anywhere and exclaim: "Here's the winner!" All this only goes to show the looseness of the competition in this year's oratorical contest. And if I would only get over my over-emphasis on Hamlet, I would readily allot that much space to the Oratorical Symposium.

Hamlet.

Next in importance, judging from the number of pages, is that old ghost, "Hamlet." The various opinions about "Hamlet," for they are merely opinions, seem to me to come from the heart, but I can't say that I agree with their reverence of the character or with their adverse criticisms of all the players, particularly Morse Conroy and Victor Sland. If the axe were placed in my hands, it would probably have fallen on the heads of

entirely different players. But that is just my opinion. N. Y. & et al. very adequately presented one side of the debate "Classics vs. Modern Plays" and I hope also sincerely, but it must be remembered that to every coin there is a tail. But this is not the place for that.

Dr. Young, in writing his "Are Catholics Leading in Patriotism?" seems to assume that some people, excluding of course the childish "Knights of the Forest," think they are. Of course, I am young and inexperienced, pure and simple as one of my friends characterized me, and may be wrong in holding the opinion that the Americans as a class are not prejudiced and just to prove that I am right they are going to the pains of electing Alfred E. Smith to the presidency. Previously I had heard many flattering reports about our Dr. Young and I was most anxious to read something from his pen. This has been the first piece of his work which I have perused, and I must say that he has more than lived up to the reports.

"In the Library"

Well, we've cleared the boards of almost all save Mr. Conrad's "Little Rabbit," which is an appealing bit of poetry; native simplicity, as it were. And now to Father Finn's "In the Library." To my mind this is the really important bit of work in this volume. Without fear of reproach or censure, Father Finn attacks the Catholic Press. And it is a well deserved attack, too. The Catholic writers are far smaller in numbers and of lesser importance than other writers in the world today. Catholics are losing their hold on the literary platform and, as Father Finn pointed out, the Catholic Press and it alone is to blame. A little backing of our Catholic writers will spur them on to greater effort and help in the production of something really worth while.

But I say, Father Finn, are there

ST. XAVIER COLLEGE BOOK-PLATE DESIGNED BY CHARLES ROTH, '30



Above is shown the new St. Xavier College book-plate which has been accepted by the Board of Directors of the college. It was designed by Charles Roth, liberal arts sophomore, and a member of the art staff for "The Musketeer." The design merited high praise from noted Cincinnati art critics.

as bad as all that?

But oh, that insect that eye-sore! If I were Mr. Jones, I'd purchase all "The Athenaeum" for fear that if it was reported I took the picture it would ruin my business. But as my friend Bobby Burns would say: "It's very good, for all 's that."

ELF FIRES

By Wm. O. the Wisp.

There is a little, unheralded and unnamed, who fills in his own way, just as important a role in the drama of St. Xavier College life as the president, the dean or the coach. Jim's is a character part—viz. that of a genial, good-natured, preponderant ground-keeper. And it is a well-known fact that a character part well-played contributes just as much to the ultimate success of the play as the swoonings of the heroine. Jim is, day in, day out, the same happy, humorous Jim, drawing great applause from the audience, sometimes wearing them away from the "big-time" stars. All his actions they approve and for this Jim is thankful.

Everybody's Friend

Old Jim is everybody's friend, everybody's pal, everybody's "dad." Have any troubles? Just go to Jim, he'll chase those cares away. The only girl born you down? Any funks? Afraid to tell your dad? Jim'll prop up that hero role.

Jim, for quite a while now you've acted that character part. You've never been able to be the star. But you are happy just the same. For you've perfected your role in the drama and in that part you are the finished artist. More power to you, Jim, and may your final curtain call be a long way off.

Ellet Hall Notes

The Ellet Hall basketball tournament came to an end last Sunday with "Tom" Kelley's Cherokee Tribe on top. The Cherokee team won not only after the hardest kind of a game with "Tex" Shea's Trojans Redmen, winning out in the last few minutes of play, 23 to 19. The trophy led throughout most of the contest and appeared winners until the last few minutes when the Cherokee team rallied and made nine points within three minutes.

It is always difficult to pick individual stars, but the Cherokee team can give credit for their win to the excellent play of "Ted" Meenan, "T" Dougherty, and "Mooney" Zoeller, as well as to the inspiring leadership of Captain "Tom" Kelley. "Back" Kolpa, the Ironton giant, was high point man of the contest, and undoubtedly the outstanding player on the floor. "Tex" Shea, of course, played his usual game, and deserves much credit for the success of his team in the tournament.

The semi-final contests were very close with the Trojans team defeating "Ed" Hoban's Mohawks 18 to 11 in a hotly contested battle and the Cherokee team surviving the round by overcoming "Johnny" McNeil's Samboles Warriors 17 to 9.

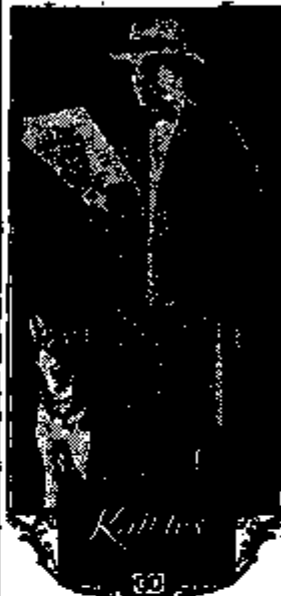
PHILOPEDIAN SOCIETY

At the weekly meeting of the Poland Philopedian Society, a decision was awarded in favor of Gregory Hobbes who was upholding the negative side of the topic "Resolved: That a Federal Bureau be Established for the Censorship of Motion Pictures."

The affirmative of the question was defended by Frank Fischer and Frederick Holte and the latter of these two gave the most fiery speech of the last few meetings of the society in a vigorous denunciation of movies which may lead to the degradation of those who frequent the lower priced movie houses.

The judges for the day were James Nolan, Charles Wheeler and Bruce Rettig while William McQuisde served as critic.

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EDWARD BRUEGGEMANN
IS AWARDED MEDAL;
MUEHLENKAMP SECONDJ. Anton and L. Feldhaus Tie for
Third Place.

By Harry Wills.

On Friday evening, March 18, seven young Orators displayed their "copia dicendi" in the annual Oratorical Contest, before a gratifying crowd. This contest, an old custom but only recently revived, serves as another outlet for the public speaking ambitions of Juniors and Seniors and has become an important event in the scholastic year.

E. Arnold Scully appeared first on the program and in an interesting manner discussed the adventurous life of the ever popular American hero, Theodore Roosevelt. John T. Anton, second in order, titled his oration, "An Epic Figure," in which he forcefully honored the name of the late president, Woodrow Wilson. Louis A. Feldhaus, selected a subject which at present demands world-wide comment, "The Possibility of World Peace," and he undoubtedly convinced his audience that world peace is possible.

Following an intermission, Robert J. Reitz, the only Junior in the contest, asked the audience another popular question, "Shall We Arm?" He proved himself an able competitor with his better adversaries. Then, the heroic deeds of the "black robes of the forest" were beautifully described by Bernard Muehlenkamp in his oration, "Believe and Sacrifice."

After another short musical diversion, William J. Muehlenkamp recalled the irrefutable services rendered by the patient laborers of two American explorers, "Father Marquette and Joliet." In conclusion Edward Brueggemann in a convincing speech enlightened the audience on the popular supposition that religion interferes with the qualifications of Governor "Al" Smith for the Presidency. He named his oration "An American Question."

Reverend Clement F. Martin, S. J., James J. Young, A. M., Ph. D., and Peter O'Donnell, A. M., Ph. D., after a tedious consultation, named Edward Brueggemann winner, and awarded second place to William Muehlenkamp, and third to Louis A. Feldhaus and

SPEAKING SCHEDULE

April 18—Freshman Election Contest.
April 20—Play.
April 22—Sophomore Election Contest.
April 27—Junior Election Contest.
May 4—Senior Election Contest.
May 11—Public Debate (Probable).
The semi-final election contests will be held about one week before the final.

DEBATE CANCELLED

A public debate had been planned with Detroit High School for the evening of May 11. However, news has been received that Detroit will be unable to debate St. Xavier on that evening. They look forward to a debate with us next year.
It is hoped that a debate can be procured with another school for that evening.

NOON BASEBALL

Added evidence that spring has come are pouring in. Recently the first baseball game was played in the yard at noon. This week the regular Noon Indoor League games will begin.

John T. Anton.

The audience favorably commented on all the deliveries and remarked that they were greatly pleased with the evening's entertainment. The success of the event greatly depended on the untiring efforts of the director in public speaking, Mr. Edward C. Roth.

The St. Xavier High School Orchestra helped to make the evening most enjoyable with a delightful musical program.

SHEVLIN'S

"IF IT SWIMS, I HAVE IT"
27 East Sixth Street

JURY SYSTEM, PRO
AND CON, DEBATED

Affirmative Team Wins the Decision.

By John Healy.

George Ratus is as much a part of our American civilization as the St. Lawrence River, five cent car fare, and hot dogs. It has been proven.

Monday night the sacred hall of this learned institution reverberated to the sound of a man's voice saying that George or rather his sentence was a demonstration of the evils of the present jury system.

What's this article all about? "Gimme time"—"Gimme time"—I must be wound up gradually. In brief form, in fact in words of not more than seven syllables, I'll tell what's its all about.

There was a debate Monday night. It happened in Mueller Hall. It was called "The evils of the present jury system" and the full proposition read: "Resolved, That the Present Jury System Should be Abolished."

Mr. Feldhaus was the first speaker for the affirmative. He said that anyone who thought there was no hell in America was not up on his American facts.

Mr. Brueggemann was the second speaker. He cited George Ratus. "I know he would, in fact I had a dime bet on the issue." He resisted the present jury system to a whisper, using skilful arguments to do so.

Mr. Wills, of the negative, said that when our forefathers were fighting for their independence one of the big risks was that they had no trial by jury. He said that trial by jury is an ideal, not a hallucination.

Mr. Brownman, also of the negative, asked if they had anything better to offer. He said there is no sense in

throwing away what we have if we can't get something better.

Following came the rebuttals, in which all the debaters took a parting whack at each other's theories.

The Affirmative Team Won.

Ye scribes was critic judge and at the end he arose and made a few well-chosen, if slightly cynical remarks and seeing dark clouds gathering on the brows of the debaters he hastily withdrew nor stopped until he had reached his street car. "And that," says I, "is that."

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY—(COUNA)—The Rev. William M. Magge, S. J., has been selected president of Marquette University to succeed Rev. Albert C. Fox, S. J., retiring president. Father Magge has been at Marquette four and one-half years.

THIRD QUARTER EXAMS

The third quarter examinations will begin on Friday, March 20. They will continue through the following week. "It's an ill wind that blows no good." They will be immediately followed by the Easter vacation.
Exact dates of the exams will be given later.

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA—(COUNA)—Men of the University of Montana came in for their share of the "razzberries" recently when the members of the Theta Sigma Phi, women's national professional journalism fraternity, published a newspaper which they called the "Dirty Razzberries".



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As an aftermath to every tournament, there are generally selected several all star teams, and in my official position as sports editor of this worthy publication, I feel that it is my privilege as well as my duty to select the all star teams of the recent intra-mural and Hall basketball tournaments.

After several conferences with Mark Schmidt, the director of the intra-murals and his staff of officials, the following teams have been selected. The men were selected on the form

displayed in the tournaments and not by reputation. There may possibly be several men in this school who are better basketball players, but who failed to show their true worth in the tournaments. The selections were limited to men who played in the semi-final rounds of the tournaments.

The all intra-mural All-Star Hall team:

Team	Player	Team	Player
Iron	Shea	Shen	Shea
Harvard	Shea	Shen	Shea
Buck	Shea	Shen	Shea
McCarthy	Shea	Shen	Shea
McCarthy	Shea	Shen	Shea

Honorable mention was given to the following men: Intra-mural — T. Schmidt, Riley, Flannery, Woerner, Huggar, and Elit Hall—O'Hara, T. Hogan, McNeill, Taucher, and Specht.

The forwards picked on the intra-mural team, Ryan and Sanders, were selected because of their excellent offensive play in the games. Ryan, besides being a good shot, is a fast dribbler, and has plenty of fight. Sanders, of the White Sox, was responsible for the good showing of his team, and

was easily the cleverest man in the tournament. Buck is selected for the center position, despite the fact that he is a forward. Buck has all the requisites for a star basketball player, and he makes a good center, being tall and a good defensive man.

For the guards we have picked Ed Tapp, the winner of the Junior Class sportsmanship medal, and Felix McCarthy, captain of the Braves. Tapp was individually responsible for the two victories of the Cubs in the tournament, and he is certainly deserving of a position on the mythical team. McCarthy is a good back guard, and he deserves credit for guiding the Braves to the intra-mural championship.

Ted Schmidt, Riley, Flannery, Woerner, and Huggar all received several votes for positions on the all star team.

Elit Hall Team.

For the all star Hall team we have selected "Tex" Shea and Eddie Hoban for the forward positions. Shea is the

shutty type of player, and was of great value to his team in the tournament. Hoban is probably the best shot of any of the forwards in the Hall league.

The center position, we award to Harold Roth, who showed steady form in piling up points for his team. The guard positions go to Tom Daugherty and "Mooney" Zoeller, of the Champion Cherokee team. These men were practically responsible for the championship resting in Elit Hall, and their fine work caused much favorable comment by the officials of the tournament.

Honorable mention was awarded to O'Hara, Tim Hogan, McNeill, Taucher, and Specht.

The College Club under direction of Professor Frederick Mayer gave a musical program at the St. Patrick's Day dinner at the Cincinnati Club, Saturday evening, under auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians.

XAVERIANS PRODUCE PLAY

"The Mine That Closed," a playlet by Joseph O. Gellenbeck, liberal arts major, was produced at the Good Samaritan Hospital Auditorium, Sunday evening.

The production was directed by William J. Danvers.

FATHER FOX SPEAKS

Rev. Albert C. Fox, S. J., ex-president of Marquette University, spoke at chapel assembly this morning.

Father Fox was formerly president of St. Xavier College and is visiting at Elit Hall.

Rev. Daniel M. O'Connell, S. J., dean, represented the college at the meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools at Chicago, Ill., Friday and Saturday.

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